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Sir:

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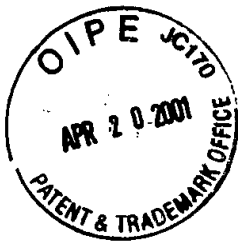
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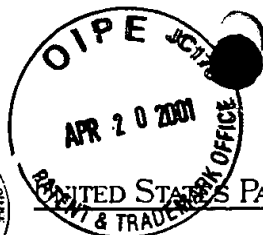
METHOD AND DEVICE FOR DRIVING AN ELECTRIC ACTUATOR UNIT  
of which the following is a Specification:

Field of the Invention.

The invention generally relates to a method for driving an electric actuator  
unit and more particularly relates to a device for driving an electric actuator unit by means  
of a driving unit.

5 Background of the Invention.

In modern motor vehicles, use is increasingly being made of electric  
actuator devices which must fulfill stringent safety requirements. For example in the case  
of an electric steering lock, the device must never lock while the vehicle is traveling.



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